

MINUTES

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

AUGUST 6, 2010

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

Dr. Hollar called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. in the Professional Licensing Agency Conference Room W064, Indiana Government Center South, 402 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, and declared a quorum in accordance with Indiana Code § 15-5-1.1-6(c).

Board Members Present:

Steven C. Hollar, D.D.S., President
Matthew I. Miller, D.D.S., Vice President
Gary M. Haller, D.D.S., Secretary
Jill M. Burns, D.D.S.
Charles N. Heape, D.D.S.
Theodore A. Rokita, D.D.S.
Philip L. Catey, D.D.S.
Richard T. Newton, III, D.D.S.
Laverne Robison Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S.
Clance LaTurner, Consumer Member

State Officials Present:

Cindy Vaught, Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency
Heather Hollcraft, Assistant Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency
Jim Schmidt, Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AS AMENDED

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda as amended.

LaTURNER/HALLER

Motion carried 8-0-0

*Dr. Burns and Dr. Heape were not present for the vote

III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM APRIL 9, 2010, MAY 7, 2010 AND JUNE 4, 2010.

A motion was made and seconded to table the minutes from the April 9, 2010, May 7, 2010 and June 4, 2010 meetings of the Board until the October 1, 2010 meeting.

WHITMORE/CATEY

Motion carried 8-0-0

*Dr. Burns and Dr. Heape were not present for the vote

IV. APPEARANCES

A. PROBATIONARY

1. Michael Edward Bajza, D.D.S., License No. 12009652A
Administrative Cause No. 2005 ISDB 0011

Dr. Bajza appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his ongoing probationary status. Dr. Bajza is currently not employed and may be moving in the future. Dr. Bajza will be meeting with his Dr. Browning, his mentor, today after the meeting. Dr. Bajza's license was reinstated on February 7, 2010 and has only completed 13 hours of community service. At the June 4, 2010 appearance the board requested that he do some type of community service to show good faith towards the Board. As of today he has not completed any other community service work. Ms. LaTurner and Dr. Burns will work with Dr. Bajza regarding his community service requirement. Dr. Bajza has not provided proof of any continuing education hours as of this date. Dr. Bajza is scheduled for his next probationary appearance on October 1, 2010.

2. Raymond Burris, D.D.S., License No. 12006355A
Administrative Cause No. 2009 ISDB 0010

Dr. Burris appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his ongoing probationary status. Dr. Burris completed twenty-one (21) hours of continuing education in March and April and has completed nine (9) of the additional hours. He will provide proof of attendance within the next 2 weeks. He is currently self employed. Fifty (50) percent of his practice is group homes and nursing homes. He works 3.5 to 4 days per week with Wednesdays off. Dr. Burris is currently at Community North and is a sponsor in AA. He has had random blood/urine screenings and they have all been negative. Dr. Burris is scheduled for his next probationary appearance on October 1, 2010.

3. Christopher Leonard, D.D.S., License No. 12009363A
Administrative Cause No. 2005 DB 0002

Dr. Leonard appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his ongoing probationary status. Dr. Leonard stated things are going well and he is still employed at Aspen Dental 5 days per week. He has come to the end of his ISMA contract and feels good about that. Dr. Leonard told the Board he was able to attain his patient records two weeks ago and is instructing staff to take addresses down so he can send the records to the patients. Dr. Haller recommended that he might want to publish a notice in the newspaper. Dr. Leonard is scheduled for his next probationary appearance on December 3, 2010.

4. Edward Mamaril, D.D.S., License No. 12008594A
Administrative Cause No. 2008 ISDB 0001

Dr. Mamaril appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his ongoing probationary status. Dr. Mamaril stat he has reduced the number of pills

given to his patients by following the recommendations of the Board. The Board appreciates his efforts. Prescription log reports for June and July 2010 were reviewed. Dr. Mamaril is scheduled for his next probationary appearance on December 3, 2010.

5. Carrie Striplin, L.D.H., License Number 13004600A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 ISDB 0008

Ms. Striplin appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her ongoing probationary status. Ms. Striplin is currently working with Ms. LaTurner regarding her community service requirement. Ms. Striplin has submitted a signed statement stating she has read and understands the statutes and rules regarding the practice of dental hygiene as well as attesting verbally to the Board that she understands them. Ms. Striplin is scheduled for her next probationary appearance on October 1, 2010.

B. RENEWAL/REINSTATEMENT

1. Amit Mahesh Patel, D.D.S., License No. 12011069A

Dr. Patel has withdrawn his renewal request.

2. Brijesh M. Patel, D.D.S., License No. 12010959A

Dr. Patel appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his renewal of his expired dental license. Dr. Patel was requested to appear based upon disciplinary action taken by the Ohio Dental Board. Dr. Patel failed to disclose this information on his March 1, 2010 renewal form. A Consent Agreement was signed by Dr. Patel and the Ohio Dental Board on July 7, 2008 stating he would be on probation until July of 2009. Allcare Dental & Dentures notified the Indiana State Board of Dentistry on April 7, 2009 of the action taken by Ohio which initiated the consumer complaint filed by the Professional Licensing Agency. Dr. Patel had an informal meeting in December 2009 with the Attorney General's office and the Board liaison regarding the complaint. It was agreed he was to complete two (2) hours of Indiana ethics and jurisprudence continuing education courses and submit proof of attendance. Dr. Patel stated he answered "no" on the renewal because it was his understanding that the matter had been resolved with the Attorney General's office and the case was closed without further action. Allcare Dental & Dentures is requesting that he reinstate his Indiana dental license.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant the reinstatement of Dr. Patel's dental license.

NEWTON/HALLER
Motion carried 10-0-0

3. Kimberly Nething, L.D.H., License No. 13003947A

Ms. Nething appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding reinstatement of her expired license. Ms. Nething's license expired on March 1, 1998. Since she has been expired more than five (5) years, she is required to make a personal appearance before the Board and complete eighty-four (84) hours of continuing education. Ms. Nething has a current CPR certification and has completed two (2) hours of continuing education in the area of Indiana ethics and jurisprudence. She explained that she is currently licensed in state of California and has moved back to Indiana. Ms. Nething has not practiced dental hygiene in 6 months. She had practiced in California since 2005. Prior to moving to California, she worked in Indiana on an expired license from 1998 until 2001 at Really Smile. Ms. Nething stated they handled the license renewals and apparently hers was not renewed. She did not know this until 2001 and Really Smile would not release any employee records which held her continuing education certificates. Ms. Nething told the Board she lived near part of the Las Padres National Forest and lost all original documentation during a mudslide where she lived. Ms. Nething agreed to a probationary license.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to have Ms. Nething submit three (3) letters of reference on their letterhead dated and signed from her last employers verifying employment and to take and pass the law examination. Dr. Haller will review the letters prior to the license being reinstated and the probationary order being issued. Upon on approval, Ms. Nething's dental hygiene license will be reinstated on indefinite probation with the following terms and conditions:

- License to be reinstated on indefinite probation in which she will have the right to petition in two (2) years for lift of probation.
- Required to make yearly personal appearances.
- Must complete forty (40) hours of community service of which at least twenty four (24) hours must be dental related, within a two (2) year period.
- Must comply with statute and rules governing the practice of dental hygiene.
- If probationary order is violated it will cause further sanctions.

MILLER/CATEY
Motion carried 10-0-0

C. APPLICATION

1. Penny Michelle Appler, L.D.H.

Ms. Appler appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Appler is a 2010 graduate from the University of Southern Indiana and has taken and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Appler answered "yes" to question 4B on the application that asks "Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony or plead nolo contender?" She explained that in January 2007 she was arrested for public

intoxication. Ms. Appler was required to complete a sixteen (16) week youth alcohol program. The charges were dismissed. She was also charged with minor consumption in June 2007. Ms. Appler was required to complete community service and serve six (6) months probation. She will be employed at Aspen Dental in Marion, Illinois but is applying for an Indiana license since she will be close to the state line and is currently looking for work in Indiana. Ms. Appler is in the process of applying for Illinois licensure as well.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Appler a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

HALLER/ROKITA
Motion carried 10-0-0

2. Courtney Elizabeth Carpenter, L.D.H.

Ms. Carpenter appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Carpenter is a 2010 graduate of Indiana University and has taken and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Carpenter answered "yes" to question 3 on the application that asks "Are you now, or have you ever been treated for drug or alcohol abuse?" She explained that she is currently in outpatient treatment for narcotic addiction that she sought voluntarily in December 2007. In this program she required to submit to random drug screenings. She attends monthly counseling groups through the treatment program that teaches participants to get successfully back into society. Ms. Carpenter is currently seeking employment. The Board advised her to let any future employers know of her situation as well as advising her to get involved with Narcotics Anonymous. Ms. Carpenter agreed to a probationary license.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Carpenter a dental hygiene license on indefinite probation with terms and conditions as follows:

- License to be issued on indefinite probation in which she will have the right to petition in two (2) years for lift of probation
- Required to make personal appearances every six (6) months throughout the probation
- Must submit verification from her dental employer that he/she is aware of the probationary status.
- Must comply with statute and rules governing the practice of dental hygiene
- If probationary order is violated it will cause further sanctions
- Required to take and pass the Indiana jurisprudence examination

WHITMORE/CATEY
Motion carried 10-0-0

3. Abigail Lynne Fleck, L.D.H.

Ms. Fleck appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Fleck is a 2010 graduate of Indiana University and has taken and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Fleck answered "yes" to question 4B that asks "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" She explained that she was charged with minor consumption on two occasions, one in August 2006 and one in December 2007. Both charges were dismissed after completing a diversion program.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Fleck a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

MILLER/BURNS
Motion carried 10-0-0

4. Sarah Elizabeth Kaetzel, L.D.H.

Ms. Kaetzel appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Kaetzel is a 2010 graduate of the University of Southern Indiana and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Kaetzel answered "yes" to question 4B that asks "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" She explained that on January 19, 2007 she was charged with "Illegal Consumption of Alcohol Beverage Class C Misdemeanor". Ms. Kaetzel was required to complete a youth alcohol program. Upon completion of the program, the case was dismissed.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Kaetzel a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

CATEY/ROKITA
Motion carried 9-0-1
*Ms. LaTurner abstained

5. Sara Marie Smith, L.D.H.

Ms. Smith appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Smith is a 2010 graduate of Indiana University and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Smith answered "yes" to question 4B that asks "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" She explained that on May 30, 2003 she was arrested for possession of alcohol by a minor. She was required to pay a \$100.00 bond and court costs and fines in the amount of \$135.00 to Franklin City Court.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Smith a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

MILLER/LaTURNER

Motion carried 10-0-0

6. Lasheika Renee West, L.D.H.

Ms. West appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. West is 2010 graduate of Indiana University and passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. West answered "yes" to question 4B that ask "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" She explained that in 1997 she was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct on two occasions. She has since completed all probation and paid all fines and court costs. Ms. West will be working at Small Smiles in Indianapolis.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. West a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

CATEY/NEWTON

Motion carried 10-0-0

7. Minda Jean Williams, L.D.H.

Ms. Williams appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her application for a dental hygiene license by examination. Ms. Williams is a 2010 graduate from Prairie State College and has passed National Boards and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB). Ms. Williams answered "yes" to question 4B that asks "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" She explained that on November 22, 2007 she was charged with operating a vehicle while intoxicated. Ms. Williams was required to complete one (1) year of informal probation, a thirty (30) day driver's license suspension, have a 180 day probationary driver's license and pay fines and court costs in the amount of \$1,264.00.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Williams a dental hygiene license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

HEAPE/CATEY

Motion carried 10-0-0

V. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

1. Tammy M. Bacon, L.D.H., License No. 13005564A

Administrative Cause No. 2008 ISDB 0005
Re: Petition for the Withdrawal of Probation

Parties and Counsel Present:

Petitioner was present without counsel
David Fleischhacker, Deputy Attorney General for the State of Indiana
Sherry Rutledge, Court Reporter

Participating Board Members:

Dr. Hollar, D.D.S., President (Hearing Officer)
Dr. Miller, D.D.S.
Dr. Haller, D.D.S.
Dr. Burns, D.D.S.
Dr. Heape, D.D.S.
Dr. Rokita, D.D.S.
Dr. Newton, D.D.S.
Dr. Catey, D.D.S.
Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S.
Ms. LaTurner, Consumer Member

Case Summary: Petitioner requests withdrawal of probation from her dental hygiene license. On May 29, 2008, Petitioner's dental hygiene license was placed on indefinite probation with terms and conditions until the next renewal cycle following a personal appearance regarding a positive response on her March 6, 2008 renewal application. Petitioner stated she sent a letter to Board regarding recent circumstances that have occurred. The State outlined her probation order and modifications. Ms. Bacon stated she was not aware of the probationary requirement that she submit a urine screen prior to probation being lifted. Petitioner told the Board that she is working as a dental hygienist on a temporary basis, does not have any illnesses that will keep her from practicing dental hygiene, completed an Alcoholics Anonymous wellness program, had zero positive urine screenings, is in compliance with the wellness program, attended all required AA meetings, submitted the required reports, completed all terms of her probation, stayed compliant with all continuing education requirements, has not been arrested, terminated from employment or used any prescription drugs or alcohol.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant the withdrawal of probation on Ms. Bacon's dental hygiene license on the condition she has a negative urinalysis submitted to the Board.

BURNS/LaTURNER

Motion carried 9-0-1

*Ms. Whitmore recused herself

2. **State of Indiana vs. Philip Ray Travis, D.M.D., License No. 12011406A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 DB 0003
Re: Order to Show Cause

Parties and Counsel Present:

Respondent was not present nor represented by counsel

David Fleischhacker, Deputy Attorney General for the State of Indiana
Sherry Rutledge, Court Reporter

Participating Board Members:

Dr. Hollar, D.D.S., President (Hearing Officer)
Dr. Miller, D.D.S.
Dr. Haller, D.D.S.
Dr. Burns, D.D.S.
Dr. Heape, D.D.S.
Dr. Rokita, D.D.S.
Dr. Newton, D.D.S.
Dr. Catey, D.D.S.
Ms. LaTurner, Consumer Member

Case Summary: Respondent did not appear as requested nor was he represented by counsel. On February 5, 2010 Respondent made a personal appearance before the Board regarding the positive responses on his application. He had explained to the Board that his dental license in Kentucky had been disciplined by the Kentucky Dental Board and that he has had three (3) malpractice actions against him. After review, the Board voted to issue Respondent an Indiana dental license on probation with terms and conditions. Respondent has not been compliant with the terms and conditions of his probation order causing the Order to Show Cause. The State asks that a Notice of Proposed Default be issued due to Respondent not appearing for this hearing.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to issue a Notice of Proposed Default to Dr. Travis.

MILLER/BURNS
Motion carried 9-0-0

VI. NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEFAULT

There were no notices of proposed default before the Board.

VII. OLD/NEW BUSINESS

A. Board Member Website

IPLA is developing a website that Board members can log into to obtain agendas as well as other information from our office.

B. Kool Smiles Audit

There were twenty-two (22) practitioners involved in the Board requested continuing education audit for Kool Smiles in Indiana for the 2008-2010 renewal period. Of the twenty-two (22) practitioners audited, nine (9) were not required to have any continuing education, and seven (7) were not in compliance with the continuing education requirement.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to issue Notices of Noncompliance to the following practitioners:

Vidya Ramesh Bettagere, D.D.S.

Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course was completed after March 1, 2010.

Kent Michael Gross, D.D.S.

Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course was completed after March 1, 2010.

Ajay P. Joshi, D.D.S.

Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course was completed after March 1, 2010.

Nassim f. Olabi, D.D.S.

Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course was completed after March 1, 2010.

Pavel D. Svilenov, D.D.S.

Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course was completed after March 1, 2010.

MILLER/HALLER

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

Evan Hipple, D.D.S.

Only completed eleven (11) hours and did not show proof of completion of Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course.

BURNS/MILLER

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

Connie Kunelis, D.D.S.

Did not complete continuing education for 2008-2010 renewal period including the Ethics, professional responsibility and Indiana statutes and administrative rules continuing education course.

MILLER/BURNS

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

C. Indiana Health Information Technology, Inc. Board of Directors

Ms. LaTurner discussed her recent appointment as Consumer Member to the Indiana Health Information Technology, Inc. Board of Directors.

D. Indiana University School of Dentistry Executive Committee

Dr. Hollar discussed his recent appointment to the IUSD Executive Committee.

E. Board Agendas

Dr. Hollar stated the Board will now have topics concerning the Dental Board added to the agenda throughout the year's meetings. He is asking Board members to bring ideas to the meetings regarding licensure. He also stated he would like to address licensing requirements as well as other items.

F. Dental Assistants

Ms. Whitmore stated she would like to discuss the rules defining dental assistants and feels it needs to be discussed further.

VIII. DISCUSSION

A. Examination Acceptance for Dentist and Dental Hygienists

Northeast Regional Boards has asked for the Board's approval for the following consultant members for the NERB examination. The following individuals have requested to be clinical examiners for NERB and NERB requests the Board's approval.

1. Peter Paris, D.D.S. – Clinical Director at Indiana University School of Dentistry
2. Bonnie Schwartz, L.D.H. – Clinical Instructor at Ivy Tech Community College
3. Wendy S. Smith, L.D.H. – Clinical Director at Indiana University School of Dentistry

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to submit the recommendations for Dr. Paris, Ms. Schwartz and Ms. Smith to become clinical examiners for NERB.

WHITMORE/CATEY
Motion carried 10-0-0

B. Indiana Dental Assistants Association

Re: Dental Assistants and Nitrous Oxide

Kathy Roberts from the IDAA asked the Board what a Dentist can delegate to a dental assistant regarding nitrous oxide. The Board was unable to advise Ms. Roberts regarding this issue.

IX. APPLICATION REVIEW

A. Examination

There were no applications by examination to review.

B. Endorsement

1. Robert P. Alderman, D.D.S.

1. The Board reviewed the dental license application by endorsement for Dr. Alderman. Dr. Alderman is a 2003 graduate from the University of Louisville and holds a license in the state of Kentucky and is currently enrolled in a residency program at Indiana University School of Dentistry. He has taken and passed National Boards Part I 2001 and Part II 2002 and Southern Regional Testing Agency Examination (SRTA) in 2003. Dr. Alderman does not meet the requirements by endorsement because he has not practiced dentistry for at least two (2) out of the three (3) years preceding the date of application. He may only use one year of their postdoctoral training to satisfy the two (2) year requirement. Dr. Alderman has been enrolled in an Oral Surgery Residency since July of 2007. Since he does not qualify for licensure by endorsement he may apply for licensure by examination and would be required to retake a clinical examination since it has been more than five (5) years since he took his SRTA's.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to deny Dr. Alderman's application for dental licensure by endorsement.

MILLER/NEWTON

Motion carried 8-1-1

*Dr. Heape opposed

*Dr. Burns abstained

2. Gordon Sanghi Won, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed the dental license application by endorsement for Dr. Won. Dr. Won is a 1995 graduate from the University of Illinois at Chicago and holds a license in the states of California, Texas, Illinois and Georgia. Dr. Won has taken and passed National Boards Part I 1993 and Part II 1994 and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB) in 1995. Dr. Won answered "yes" to question 7 that asks "Have you ever had a malpractice judgment against you or settled any malpractice action?" He explained in a notarized affidavit that he has settled two malpractice claims. The first was settled on March 4, 2005 in the amount of \$15,500.00. The second was settled on February 6, 2004 in the amount of \$10,000.00. The Georgia Board of Dentistry investigated the first case and found that there was no violation of the Dental Practice Act and closed the case.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Won a dental license upon successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

ROKITA/HALLER

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

3. Jennifer Sullivan, D.M.D.

The Board reviewed the dental license application by endorsement for Dr. Sullivan. Dr. Sullivan is a 2003 graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and is licensed in the state of Kentucky. Dr. Sullivan has taken and passed National Boards Part I 2001 and Part II 2003 and the North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB) in 2003. Dr. Sullivan is currently enrolled in a residency program at University of Kentucky. Dr. Sullivan does not meet the requirements by endorsement because she has not practiced dentistry for at least two (2) out of the three (3) years preceding the date of application. She may only use one year of their postdoctoral training to satisfy the two (2) year requirement. Dr. Sullivan has been enrolled in a Orthodontics since 2007. Since she does not qualify for licensure by endorsement she may apply for licensure by examination and would be required to retake a clinical examination since it has been more than five (5) years since she took her NERB's.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to deny Dr. Sullivan dental licensure by endorsement.

MILLER/NEWTON

Motion carried 8-1-1

*Dr. Heape opposed

*Dr. Burns abstained

4. Samira A. Yunez, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed the dental license application by endorsement for Dr. Yunez. Dr. Yunez is a 1996 graduate from Universidad De Este in the Dominican Republic. She attended the International Dentistry Program at the University of Illinois at Chicago from August 15, 2000 to August 23, 2002 but did not obtain a degree from that program. She has taken and passed National Boards Part I 1997 and part II 2002 and North East Regional Board of Regional Dental Examiners (NERB) in 2003. She has been licensed in Illinois since 2003. Dr. Yunez has not obtained a DDS or DMD degree from a dental school accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of the American Dental Association and 828 IAC 1-3-1.1, an application must submit an original transcript of the applicant's dental education including the degree conferred and the date the degree was conferred.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to deny Dr. Yunez's application for dental licensure.

MILLER/NEWTON

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

C. Anesthesia and Sedation Permits

There were no anesthesia permits to review.

D. Dental Intern Permit

There were no dental intern permits to review.

E. Mobile Dental Facility

There were not mobile dental facility permits to review.

F. Instructors License

1. Ygal Ehrlich, D.D.S.

The Board reviewed the dental instructor's license application for Dr. Ehrlich. Dr. Ehrlich has applied for an instructor's license at the Indiana University School of Dentistry. Dr. Ehrlich is a 1992 graduate of the Hebrew University Hadassah School of Dental Medicine. He has submitted all documentation as required.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Ehrlich a dental instructor's license pending payment of the application fee and successful completion of the Indiana jurisprudence examination.

BURNS/NEWTON

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

G. Professional Corporations

There were no professional corporation applications to review.

X. RENEWALS

There were no renewal applications to review.

XI. PROBATIONARY REPORT

1. Penelope Lynn Dunlap, D.D.S.

Dr. Haller reviewed Dr. Dunlap's probationary file. Her reports from Joseph W. Hake, D.D.S., Monitor, for June, July and September 2010 were reviewed and accepted.

2. Marci L. Huth, L.D.H.

Dr. Haller reviewed Ms. Huth's probationary file. Ms. Huth is currently not employed as a dental hygienist. She reported that her address had not changed, and the medication she is currently taking. Her report was reviewed and accepted.

3. Trevor Treasure, D.D.S.

Dr. Haller reviewed Dr. Treasure's probationary file. His report from the Indiana Dental Association Well Being Program for June and July 2010 and Dr. Moe were reviewed and accepted.

4. Teresa Michelle Watkins, D.D.S.

Dr. Haller reviewed Dr. Watkins' probationary file. Her reports from Charles Miller, D.D.S, work site monitor, for April, May and June 2010 and the Indiana Dental Association Well Being Program for June and July 2010 were reviewed and accepted.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to approve probationary reports.

MILLER/LaTURNER

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote

XII. CONTINUING EDUCATION

A. InDent Study Club, LLC.

Dr. Newton reviewed the application for continuing education. The application lacked the study club by-laws required for approval.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to pend the approval of the application for continuing education sponsor for InDent Study Club, LLC dependent upon receipt of the study club's by-laws.

NEWTON/HOLLAR

Motion carried 7-0-1

*Dr. Burns recused herself

XIII. REPORTS

There were no reports before the Board.

XIV. ASSOCIATION REPORTS

A. Indiana Dental Association

There was no report before the Board.

B. Indiana Dental Hygiene Association

There was no report before the Board.

C. Indiana Dental Assistants Association

There was no report before the Board.

XV. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, and having completed its duties, the meeting of the Indiana State Board of Dentistry adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting of the Indiana State Board of Dentistry at 2:15 p.m.

WHITMORE/HALLER

Motion carried 9-0-0

*Dr. Catey was not present for the vote


Steven C. Hollar, D.D.S., President

10/1/10
Date


Gary M. Haller, D.D.S., Secretary

10-01-2010
Date